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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1793.

ROME, *November* 9.

WE have received an express from Civita Vecchia that two French frigates are expected there, on board one of which is a plenipotentiary from the French republic, charged with dispatches for the pope, in consequence of which orders have been sent to receive that minister with a salute of twenty-one guns, to shew him the greatest attention, and to escort him to this place with the utmost state, where he will have a public audience of the pope.

STOCKHOLM, *November* 23.

Circular letter to the presidents of colleges, the governor of Stockholm, the governors of provinces, and the commanders of regiments.

I have this day issued a caution against extravagance and superfluity. It is founded on my persuasion of their pernicious consequences, and given with the purest intentions. Its effect depends much on you, and I require less the usual intervention of a person in office, than the sincere assistance of a citizen attached to me and his country; by your own example, in your own house, in your private life, your counsel, your encouragement, and your correction. I expect it of you, and at the same time charge you, in your private conversations with the officers and clerks in your college, (the inhabitants of Stockholm, the inhabitants of the province, the officers of your regiment) to inform them, that I do not intend to receive any, who may, notwithstanding this my declared will, venture to present themselves before me in foreign manufactures, laces, or other vain finery; also that I will on all applications of widows for pensions, carefully examine, whether they have conduced to the ruin of their families, or if they have fulfilled the duties of their station as wives and mothers. The many inconveniences which the immoderate desires and giddiness of the female sex have in modern times occasioned, render some consideration necessary to prevent their increase.

I remain, with Almighty God graciously, your well affectioned, during my most gracious king and master's minority.

(Signed) CHARLES.

FLORENCE, *November* 16.

We have accounts from Genoa, that the whole French fleet is at present in the gulph of Specia; it consists of 20 ships of war of different sizes, besides which 24 ships of war are expected from Toulon with 16,000 troops. The same accounts add, that the French fleet have requested of the Republic 2000 cattle, 4000 bags of buiscuit, and some money.

ANTWERP, *December* 9.

We had the satisfaction yesterday to see four French frigates and four cutters, well armed, enter our port: their arrival was announced by the firing of the guns of the ramparts and citadel, to which all the vessels answered by a salute, which lasted two hours.

HAGUE, *December* 14.

The following is the purport of the resolution taken by the States General, in consequence of the note delivered the 22d of November by the Imperial minister, relative to the intention of the French to proceed up the Scheld, and attack Antwerp, and the request made by the latter for the passage of some armed vessels for that purpose.

With regard to the emperor, the States General declare, that a compliance with the request of the French would be contrary to the treaties subsisting between Holland and Austria, and inconsistent with the neutrality which the former has professed. As to the demand of the French, the States General have requested his highness the prince of Orange and Nassau, as admiral-general, to order the commander of the guard ship stationed at the opening of the Scheld to refuse the passage, and inform the French commander, "that by virtue of treaties no ship of war can enter the Scheld."

LONDON, *December* 3.

The multitude see hundreds of workmen employed in fortifying the tower. They hear of the lord mayor appointed generalissimo of an armed force, with discretionary powers. They see troops assembling from all directions round the metropolis—and at this moment when the exception of some half dozen obscure societies, which fifty constables could disperse, there is a general spirit of order, industry, and loyalty (loyalty in its true meaning of submission to the laws) visible in every part of the town. Curiosity is excited to inquire into the meaning of all this, and mobs of people meet and stare with inspired anxiety, demanding where this rebellion in disguise is to be found.

Dec. 4. All the exalted characters, members of the Whig Club of England, will this day attend the meeting at the London Tavern, and thereby give the lie to the reports so industriously circulated, that they are discordant and disunited.

Large quantities of wood were taken into the Royal Exchange on Saturday evening, supposed to be for the intention of building barracks in that neighbourhood.

Great preparations of defence are making at the tower, which is fortifying on all sides. Three hundred artillery-men and engineers have been at work there for the last three days in digging entrenchments, raising parapets, and mounting the cannon on the walls. Some hundreds of old rum puncheons have been filled with earth to serve as a barracade, and all the small breaches have been filled up.

Accounts from Cleves, dated November 28, say, that yesterday the king of Prussia marched against Valence and Bournonville, whose advanced posts were near Taerbach. The consequences may be expected to be very serious to the French, as the Prussians moved with the determination to conquer.

Dec. 5. Monday night the attorney and solicitor-general had a further conference, by appointment, with the minister, respecting some intended prosecutions for seditious writings.

The East Kent battalion of militia are now embodied, and the men are assembling with all convenient speed at Canterbury. The West Kent battalion is also assembling at Maidstone.

That part of the Buckinghamshire militia which has been trained in the course of this year, is summoned to attend at Buckingham immediately.

Yesterday major-general Sir William Meadows arrived in town from Bengal; he immediately waited on the minister at his house in Downing-street, with whom he had a private interview.

Yesterday at one o'clock, a full board was held at the admiralty-office, when upwards of twenty captains and lieutenants received commissions. The board broke up at an early hour, adjourned till this day.

The committee appointed to examine the papers lately found in the Thuilleries, are said to have discovered proofs, so convincing, of the corruption of Mirabeau, that it will be necessary to expel him from the Pantheon. The bishop of Autun, Delessart, Chapelier, and Saint Foy, are also named in this criminal list.

A letter from Cadiz mentions that Bowles, the Cherokee chief, who had been confined in the common gaol of that city, for nearly four months, and had been sentenced to death for the depredations committed by him at New-Orleans, was at length liberated.

Dec. 10. The London Gazette, of December 8, contains his majesty's proclamation, prohibiting the exportation of corn.

And rewards of 100l. for the apprehending of John Terence Frost, of Westminster, and Sampson Perry, of Westminster; the first for scandalous, wicked, malicious and seditious words of and concerning his present majesty, and the constitution of the realm; and the latter for having printed and published a false, scandalous, wicked, malicious and seditious libel. Both rewards to be paid by the solicitor of his majesty's treasury.

On Saturday last their royal highnesses the prince of Wales and duke of York were in the tower all the morning, and in company with several general officers and engineers, together with the governor of the tower and officers of the guards and artillery on duty there, inspected the state of defence into which the tower has been put, at which their royal highnesses expressed their satisfaction. The princes breakfasted with the officers, during which the music played and the soldiers sung God save the King. After breakfast their royal highnesses viewed the armories, ordnance, regalia, and mint, and concluded by visiting the lions. The princes at quitting the tower, expressed their satisfaction at the attention shewn them, and seemed much pleased at their morning's amusement. Their royal highnesses treated the soldiers with beer, &c.

Yesterday an order was issued from the war-office for the whole army of Great-Britain to be augmented ten men a company, cavalry as well as infantry.

This morning several evil-minded persons were taken into custody for defacing and pulling down the proclamation and bills, which were stuck up at different parts of the town.

Mrs. Pinckney, lady of the American minister, was presented to her majesty, in form, by lady Grenville.

Dec. 13. The report circulated last week, that the duke of Sudermania had acknowledged the new republic of France, is without foundation.

The frigates that have sailed from Portsmouth, are to cruise it is said, at the mouth of the Scheld; if so, the die is cast, for the evident intention of their cruising there, must be to prevent vessels from navigating that river; and as the French have dispatched vessels to convey provisions up that river to Antwerp, the question of war may be brought to a speedy issue, and the parliament of England be saved the trouble of discussing the question.

Extract of a letter from Ramsgate, December 10.

"Wind W. brought in by Deal-men to refit; the Governor Bowdoin, an American East-Indiaman, captain Edward Dawes, of Boston, from Boston to Ostend, with teas, &c. having sprung her rudder, lost several sails, an anchor and cable."

Dec. 14. The king of France went to the convention in a carriage drawn by two horses only, the glasses of which were down. A solemn silence prevailed during his whole passage from the temple to the convention, which took up nearly the space of an hour; so great was the number of armed, that the populace collected on the occasion could scarcely be supposed to see the procession.

According to a published account by the mayor, the procureur de la commune, and the secretary recorder, who were commissioned to convey the king from the temple to the convention, and other information, the following appears to have been the conduct of Louis: "Arrived at the temple (say our narrators) we comported ourselves as we conceived consistent with the dignity of officers representing the sovereign people." The king was informed of their mission, and desired to walk down stairs; they addressed him by the name of Louis Capet. "I am not usually called Louis Capet, said he; my ancestors, indeed, bore that name, but it never was applied to me; however, it matters not; your behaviour in this agrees exactly with what I have experienced these four months past!" The mayor, without making any reply, desired him again to descend. This he immediately did; and being seated in the carriage appointed to convey him, he pronounced not a single word till he reached the convention; there, however, while cruelly kept in waiting, he could not forbear observing that he thought himself very hardly dealt with; the more particularly so, as the time there wasted was lost to the society of his beloved son, the only comfort in life which now remained for him.

After he retired from the bar of the convention, in a chamber adjoining, he took, by way of refreshment, declaring himself exhausted, a small piece of bread. It was then five o'clock. He again entered the carriage, but did not speak much on his return. The multitude were at that time as great as on his passage to the convention, but generally orderly; some voices, however, were heard to mingle with the cries of *Vive la Nation, Vive la Republique*, that of "*To death!*" He was conveyed to his apartment at half after six, where, before the mayor left him, he pressed for a speedy answer to his demand of counsel to plead his cause. This he is said to have done with considerable agitation. The mayor answered, he had executed his commission, and could say no more; however, he added, that he had no doubt that the convention would accede to his wish, as far as was proper.

The king has chose for his counsel either M. Target or M. Tronchet, or both; and the convention in consequence passed a decree on Wednesday, admitting a freedom of choice, and permitting Target and Tronchet to have communication with him.

Some military proceedings of general Anselme's army were reported in the sitting of the convention of Wednesday, December 12.

Paris remains tranquil.

Dec. 20. Last week the dissenters of Birmingham sent a present of 500l. to doctor Priestly, which the doctor has since returned, with a very polite letter, expressive of his gratitude, saying, he thinks they have sufficiently suffered; and that he has received such a number of presents from various quarters, and particularly from members of the established church, as amount already to more than a compensation for all his losses.

MILITARY EMIGRANTS.

A party of French recruits, intended for the service of M. M. d'Artois and Conde, have been landed in England, under the following circumstances:

They were enlisted in the south of France for the French princes, and are partly deserters from regiments of the line, and partly other persons. Having passed secretly into Spain, they were mustered in one of the ports there, and embarked on board a ship for Flanders, through which they were to march to Liege or Coblentz. Their vessel came in view of Ostend, within a few hours after the French republican flag had been hoisted there; the captain immediately changed his course for England, and here has landed his passengers.

The men in number, we are told, amount to three or four hundred, are now chiefly in London, and in the greatest distress. They have found their way, however, to the bishop of St. Pol de Leon, who was once in the army, and under whom one of them has served. By his means they will probably receive some immediate assistance, after which they will proceed for their original destination.

The ROYAL GEORGE.

Some ingenious experiments are making at present, by two clever mechanics, to raise the Royal George, which have been attended with infinite success. Several guns, pistols, bayonets, &c. have been taken from the wreck; and by means of a lantern, which keeps lighted under water, the diver can see the situation of the ship, and examine every thing on deck. It is intended to lighten the vessel as much as possible, before the grand effort is made to raise her from the deep. Should the parties be successful, of which they have the most sanguine hopes, they will clear at least 20,000l. by their industry. The cannon are brass, which will sustain little injury; and there is, besides the usual materials, a great quantity of specie on board. —Bets are now offered, that this ship will be afloat before the expiration of the ensuing year.

A letter was read in the national assembly of France, on the 2d instant, from a commissioner on board the fleet before Genoa, informing the convention, that the Genoese were about to assert their rights, and make themselves free. The presence of the French squadron gives them courage, and they ardently wish to be united to France.

Ruhl, in the name of the reigning prince Frederick de Salm Kerbourg, prince of the state of Epire, and a citizen of France, announced to the convention, that that prince acknowledged the sovereignty of the people; that he considered his former subjects now in no other light than that of fellow-citizens, of friends, and all his children, and requested the assistance of the French towards abolishing in his estates, the fanaticism of priests and monks, and personal servitude.

KINGSTON, *(Jamaica) December* 6.

The Tankerville packet, which arrived here the 3d instant, spoke the Dutton East-Indiaman, homeward bound, and having on board 510 tuns of sugar. General Meadows was a passenger, and had perfectly recovered. No particular news.

Dec. 7. Two other East-India ships were to follow the Dutton, mentioned in our yesterday's paper, each having on board 300 tuns of sugar.

Dec. 15. The French ship Ladorraine, which sailed from this port on Sunday last, is totally lost off Cape Tibourn. Two white men, a white woman and child, with six negroes, are drowned. The remainder of the crew and passengers, numbering eight persons, were picked up by captain Ross, and are safe arrived. On board this ship was a quantity of merchandise and 10,000 dollars.

ST. JOHN'S, *(Antigua) November* 12.

An attempt has been lately made at Martinico to burn the Firme, a French 74 gun ship, but it was fortunately discovered before the fire could do any damage.

Dec. 17. Several French ladies arrived here yesterday from Guadaloupe; they bring accounts of the total desertion of the women and children from the towns, in consequence of the violent commotions at present subsisting there: that as many of them as possible are quitting the island, but that not a single man will be suffered to leave it. The aristocrats, who are by far the strongest party, have issued a proclamation declaring their intention of defending themselves to the last against any national force that may be sent out against them, and that if all should fail, they are determined to fire the towns and blow up the forts.

Dec. 18. A smart shock of an earthquake was felt in this island about twenty-five minutes past seven o'clock on Saturday evening last. It was of very short duration, and its direction seemed to be from north to south.

NEW-YORK, *February* 13.

Captain Snow, who arrived at Boston on the 6th instant, and in twenty seven days from Martinico, informs, that on the day he sailed, a capitulation had been agreed upon that the national flag of France, should be substituted in room of the aristocratic flag, the next day; and that on the same day the flag was hoisted at Guadaloupe. That the downfal of the late spirit of rebellion was complete, and that the market for American produce was good.

The London Chronicle of November 29, 1792, gives the following notice from the commissioners of the royal hospital of Greenwich, "that the light-house on the North-Foreland has been repaired, considerably heightened, and a lanthorn fixed thereon, in which on the first of next month, will be shewn a new improved light, with argand lamps, reflectors and lenses."

A letter from London mentions the following as to the prices of American stocks, on the 12th December.

Six per cents	105
Three per cents	63¾
Deferred	66

A Panther, (or Cat-a-Mount) was lately killed in Salisbury, in the state of New Hampshire. The skin has been stuffed; the tail was about two feet and a half long, and from the nose to the end of the tail, nearly eight feet. From what part of the distant forest this dreadful animal strayed is unknown—it was of the male species.—He was followed by his track in the snow, by a Mr. Calfe, who discovered him partly under an old root, and discharged a musket ball and three buck shot into the hind part of his body, unperceived—the animal leaped several rods and expired.

Mr. Erskine we find, was escorted by *men*, not horses, from Guildhall, after defending *the Rights of Man*—it is said, there were 10,000 *loyal subjects* in the train!!!

We are credibly informed, that there is a letter in town, giving an account of a very numerous meeting at *Birmingham*, England, who, after having dressed an ASS in *royal robes*, and paid it all manner of *loyal obsequies*, in the evening resolved unanimously, "That *they would no longer be governed by an ass*"—and immediately *hitched him*.

The ambassador of France at Naples, has received orders to retire from that capital.

ANNAPOLIS, *February* 28.

One of the Annapolis packets on Friday last, on her way to Baltimore, unfortunately overset off the mouth of Magothy river, by which unhappy accident nine out of ten persons, one only being saved, lost their lives, to wit: Mr. Thomas Pasco, saddler, Mr. John Ross, Mr. John Hammond and Mr. Benjamin Buckland, cabinet-makers, Mr. Thomas Garrison and Mr. William Loockerman, owners of the vessel, and Mr. James Jennings, all of this city, Mr. Thomas Coats of Greenbury's point, and a negro boy.

On Saturday last, Mr. Thomas Dance, of this city, plasterer, being at work on the inside of the dome of the state-house, and making a false step, fell to the floor, and died in a few hours afterwards.

Mr. Henry Voight, watchmaker, of Philadelphia, is appointed by the president, with the advice and consent of the senate, principal coiner to the mint of the United States.

"On Tuesday the 12th of this month, departed this life, at George-town, in Montgomery county, in the 30th year of her age, after a long and tedious illness, which she sustained with uncommon patience and resignation, Mrs. ELIZABETH KING, wife of Mr. WILLIAM KING. Such was the mildness of temper, the gentleness of manners, and the many amiable qualities, of this truly deserving woman, that she was universally beloved by all who had the happiness to be acquainted with her, more particularly by her relations and friends, who unite in sympathetic sadness on this affecting occasion—that has bereaved a disconsolate husband of an affectionate wife, and a little dutiful daughter of a tender parent, and the community of a valuable member."

To the CITIZENS of ANNAPOLIS.

A REPORT is in circulation, (but I will not undertake to answer for the truth of it) that the SMALL-POX is to be introduced into this city, by inoculation, about the beginning of the ensuing month.

I think it will be well for those who so intend (if there be such an intention) to consider well the propriety of putting it in practice.

The weather, in the month of March, is more variable and uncertain than it is in any month of the year, and, for that reason, I should think it the most improper for this purpose. Frequently in the course of one day, nay in a few hours, we experience the effects of the four seasons. The most healthy and robust persons often feel the evil influence of these effects. What then must be the situation of those who are in a state of preparation to receive that disorder, and especially those who are actually under its operation? I confess myself but little acquainted with the nature of the small-pox, or the state of the patient when preparing for it; but if it be a case within the reach of common sense and common observation, I will venture to pronounce his condition very hazardous, more liable to take cold, and less able to bear the ill consequences of it. This remark appears to me to be reasonable, let parents and others reflect on it.

The change that has taken place in our climate, in the spring season, for some years past, has been considerable. This we all know. That genial air which revives torpid nature, gives vigour to man and animals, and breathes life into the vegetable tribes, is now seldom felt before the latter end of April or the beginning of May. At that season every garden and field will hold out assistance to the physician, and comfort to the patient; and, as our unhappy lot makes it necessary to bring voluntary diseases upon ourselves and our dependents, we should, in my opinion, chuse that time to undergo them when it can be done with most safety and least suffering.

By a law of the corporation, there are only two months in the year in which this disorder cannot be introduced into the town by inoculation, the months of July and August. The spring, I suppose, is preferred by every one to the fall and winter months. As the month of March is, I think, certainly an improper season, and April, or a great part of it, a very doubtful one, we have only the months of May and June, and perhaps half of April at most, left. Now, Fellow Citizens, I submit it to your good sense and feelings (for you must have feelings on this occasion) in what part of the above period you will determine to have your families inoculated. In this the wisdom and humanity of the gentlemen of the faculty, I trust, will be your surest directors.

I have thrown these few remarks together on a subject that I have already professed I have no other acquaintance with, than what a plain capacity can furnish on an obvious matter, at least it appears so to me. They who have had more experience, and are otherwise better qualified to judge, than I can pretend to be, will be your best advisers. I wish you to follow the best advice; but in deciding on this point, should those who differ from me, offer their sentiments to you, they are bound, I think, to prove, to your satisfaction, that the small-pox is totally unlike other disorders, that sudden and frequent changes from cold to heat, from rain to snow, from a dry and serene to a damp and cloudy sky, have no influence upon the human frame in this state of sickness and debility. Should this be done, I shall confess myself mistaken; but unless this be done, I think it will be the height of indiscretion, to say the least of it, in you, so manifestly to risk the lives and constitutions of yourselves, your children and dependents.

A CITIZEN.

February 26, 1793.

Since writing the above, I have been informed that a subscription paper is handing about to prevent the introduction of the small-pox into the city this season. Of this I shall only say, that the citizens have a right to determine for themselves. They alone are interested in the matter. But should that measure fail, I submit it to their consideration, whether some time between the middle of May and the first of June will not be the most seasonable time for inoculation; if we pursue this conduct, the jurors, and others, who have business at the general court, which is to meet the second Monday of the month, will be freed from any apprehension on that head, and of course will give their attendance. I mention this now, it did not occur to me before; however the citizens will act as they think best.

To be SOLD, on credit, At Private Sale,

THAT valuable and well improved FARM, late the residence of Mr. WILLIAM ATKINSON, deceased, pleasantly situated on West river, in Anne-Arundel county, containing 419½ acres. There is on this farm a genteel dwelling house, in complete order for the immediate reception of a family, and all necessary out-building. The land is well watered, and has on it a well of very good water; 85 bushels of wheat were seeded on it last fall. The purchaser may have the stock on the plantation upon reasonable terms. Possession will be given in time to go on with a crop. For further particulars inquire of

F. GREEN, } Executors.
J. CLAPHAM, }

All persons having claims against the estate of Mr. William Atkinson, are earnestly requested to make them known immediately, and those indebted to make speedy payment, to the executors.

THE subscriber will sell, upon a credit of three years, a valuable lot of GROUND, containing four acres, in the town of Lower Marlborough. This lot is well improved with a framed dwelling house with brick chimnies at each end, and four rooms below and above stairs, and an excellent cellar with stone walls under the house. There are also upon the lot a framed store house, a stable and some fruit trees. The lot is situated upon Patuxent river, and has the privilege of having wharfs extended into the river. He has for sale, upon the same credit, two other lots of ground, adjoining each other, upon one of which stood the public inspecting house, and where there is at present a tolerable good orchard. Captain Thomas Harwood, who resides in the town, will shew the lots to any person inclined to purchase, who, for further terms, may apply to me at the mouth of Patuxent river, in Calvert county.

WILLIAM FITZHUGH.

To the PUBLIC.

PROPOSALS

For Establishing a Circulating Library In the City OF ANNAPOLIS.

THE utility of so extensive a library, as this is proposed to be, for profit and pleasure, as well to the citizens as the students at this grand seminary of learning, needs no comment.

It is proposed that books shall be purchased, to compose the library, in Europe, to the amount of 100 guineas, that they shall consist of the latest editions of law, physic, divinity, history, science, essays, and works of eminent writers; purchased to the best advantage, and the librarian shall covenant to add to the library books to the amount of ten guineas each annually, at his own expence, such as the trustees shall think proper to direct.

There shall be 100 subscribers at ten guineas each payable on the arrival of the books, and establishment of the library, and each of the subscribers shall be entitled, for the said subscription, to read the books of the library for ten successive years. Every subscriber shall have the privilege of transferring his interest in the library at any time.

The library shall be duly attended by Joseph Clark, his heirs or assigns.

The books purchased shall be the property of the subscribers for the ten successive years; at the end of that period they shall become the property of Joseph Clark, his heirs or assigns. A compensation for ten years services as agent and librarian.

The terms that the subscribers shall be furnished with books from the library, and all other business relative thereto, shall be by the direction of a committee of three trustees, to be chosen immediately after the subscription is made up, and they are to be annually rechosen from among the subscribers by a majority of their voices.

A room shall be fitted up, and taken care of, in the city of Annapolis, at the expence of the librarian, sufficiently commodious to contain all the books, for the use of the subscribers. A printed catalogue shall be prepared for each subscriber.

A general catalogue, to be made out by the first appointed trustees, shall be as far as possible completed.

JOSEPH CLARK.

Annapolis, February 27, 1793.

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EVERY perſon having any legal claim againſt the eſtate of THOMAS DANCE, deceaſed, are requeſted to preſent it lawfully authenticated, to

JOSEPH CLARK.

It is expected he has aſſets ſufficiency to pay his juſt debts, and this mode is purſued to ſave the expence and trouble of adminiſtration.

JOSEPH CLARK.

CITY of WASHINGTON, January 7, 1793.

A NUMBER of LOTS in this city, will be offered for SALE at auction, by the COMMISSIONERS, on the ſeventeenth day of September next. One fourth part of the purchaſe money is to be paid down, the reſidue in three equal annual payments, with yearly intereſt on the whole principal unpaid.

JOHN M. GANTT, Clerk
to the commiſſioners.

Extract of an act of the general aſſembly of Maryland, "concerning the territory of Columbia and the city of Waſhington."

"*Be it enacted*, That any foreigner may by deed or will, hereafter to be made, take and hold lands within that part of the ſaid territory which lies within this ſtate, in the ſame manner as if he was a citizen of this ſtate; and the ſame lands may be conveyed by him, and tranſmitted to, and be inherited by his heirs or relations, as if he and they were citizens of this ſtate: *Provided*, That no foreigner ſhall, in virtue hereof, be entitled to any other or further privilege of a citizen."

In CHANCERY, January 24, 1793.

ON the application to the chancellor, by a petition in writing, of JOHN BURGESS, an inſolvent debtor, praying the benefit of an act for the relief of ſundry inſolvent debtors, and offering, agreeably to the ſaid act, to deliver up, to the uſe of his creditors, all his property, real, perſonal, and mixed, to which he is any way entitled, and a liſt of his creditors, and a ſchedule of his property, ſo far as he can aſcertain, on oath, being annexed to the ſaid petition; it is thereupon by the chancellor adjudged and ordered, that the ſaid John Burgeſs appear before the chancellor, in the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, on the ſecond day of April next, for the purpoſe of taking, in the preſence of ſuch of his creditors as ſhall attend in perſon, or by their agents or attorneys, the oath by the ſaid act preſcribed for delivering up his property as aforeſaid, and that in the mean time he give notice to his creditors of his application aforeſaid, by cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted in the Maryland Gazette at any time before the ſixth day of February next, and continued therein four weeks ſucceſſively.

Teſt. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

On TUESDAY the 26th February next, will be offered to the higheſt bidder, on the premiſes,

THE ſubſcribers PLANTATION in Anne-Arundel county, containing about nine hundred and thirty-five acres, thirty valuable country born ſlaves, and ſome houſehold furniture. The above property will be ſold on three years credit, the purchaſers giving bond with approved ſecurity, paying intereſt annually.

6X JACOB GREEN.

And on THURSDAY the 14th March, will alſo be offered to the higheſt bidder, at the late dwelling of ELISHA GREEN, deceaſed, on Patuxent river, in Prince-George's county, on the above terms,

TWENTY-ONE valuable country born SLAVES, of different ſexes and ages, together with all the ſtock of horſes, cattle, ſheep, and hogs, the houſehold furniture and plantation utenſils, belonging to the eſtate of the ſaid deceaſed.

6X JACOB GREEN, Adminiſtrator.

By virtue of a decree of the honourable the chancellor of Maryland, will be SOLD, on the premiſes, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the firſt day of March next,

A VALUABLE tract of LAND, lying in Kent county, within three miles of Cheſter town, part of the eſtate of the late John Gleaves; this farm contains 500 acres of land, about 200 acres of it in woods; the ſoil is well adapted to wheat, corn and tobacco; there are on the premiſes a large brick dwelling houſe, with four rooms on a floor, a brick kitchen, farm houſe, a good barn, ſtables, blackſmith's ſhop and other out buildings; a valuable ſhad and herring fiſhery, and a great abundance of natural meadow ground. The terms of ſale are, that the purchaſer either pay down the caſh, or with two good ſecurities enter into bonds for the payment within five years, at inſtalments, with intereſt from the day of ſale.

The creditors of the late JOHN GLEAVES, are required to lodge their claims legally proved, in the chancery-office, or with the ſubſcribers on or before the fifteenth day of July next.

NATHANIEL COMEGYS, } Truſtees.
JOHN SCOTT, }

Kent county, 10th January, 1793. 6X

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcribers intend to apply to the next Anne-Arundel county court, for a commiſſion to mark and bound ſeventy-ſeven courſes of a tract of land called GUTSLAVEL, ſituate and being in the county aforeſaid, agreeably to an act of aſſembly, paſſed in November ſeſſion, 1786, for marking and bounding lands.

JAMES WALKER,
SAMUEL GODMAN.

February 12, 1793. 2

To be SOLD, on Thurſday the 7th day of March next, at the dwelling plantation of JOHN DEALE, in the Swamp,

SEVERAL country born SLAVES, conſiſting of men, women and children; taken in execution as the property of John Deale, and to be ſold to ſatisfy a debt due to Richard Darnall, executor of Henry Darnall. The terms will be caſh. The ſale to begin at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

2X WM. GOLDSMITH, Sheriff
of Anne-Arundel county.

February 13th, 1793.

For SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed, will be SOLD, for CASH only, on Wedneſday the 13th of March next, upon the premiſes,

A TRACT or parcel of land, the property of JOSEPH BRISCOE, containing about 250 acres, moſtly cleared, lying in Kent county, and ſituate on the main road leading from Cheſter-town to Georgetown, and about ſeven miles from the former; there are on ſaid place, a convenient dwelling and out houſes, a ſmall apple orchard, ſeveral acres of meadow land, through which paſſes two fine ſtreams of water, emptying themſelves into the mill pond of the late col. Perkins. The ſale to begin at eleven o'clock. Attendance will be given, by

PHILIP REED, Sheriff.

February 9, 1793. 2

For SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed, will be SOLD, for CASH only, on Thurſday the 14th of March next, upon the premiſes,

A TRACT of land, the property of PEREGRINE COOPER, containing about 170 acres, lying in Kent county, ſituate about ſeven miles from Cheſtertown, and in the neighbourhood of the mills of the late col. Perkins and John Wilſon; there are on ſaid place, a dwelling and out houſes, a peach and apple orchard, ſeveral acres of mowable meadow, through which paſſes a fine ſtream of water. The ſale will begin at eleven o'clock. Attendance given, by

PHILIP REED, Sheriff.

February 9, 1793. 2

In CHANCERY, February 16, 1793.

ON the application to the chancellor, by a petition in writing, of WILLIAM WORTHINGTON, an inſolvent debtor, praying the benefit of an act for the relief of ſundry inſolvent debtors, and offering, agreeably to the ſaid act, to deliver up, to the uſe of his creditors, all his property, real, perſonal, and mixed, to which he is any way entitled, and a liſt of his creditors, and a ſchedule of his property, ſo far as he can aſcertain, on oath, being annexed to the ſaid petition; it is thereupon by the chancellor adjudged and ordered, that the ſaid William Worthington appear before the chancellor, in the chancery-office, in the city of Annapolis, on the eighth day of April next, for the purpoſe of taking, in the preſence of ſuch of his creditors as ſhall attend in perſon, or by their agents or attornies, the oath by the ſaid act preſcribed for delivering up his property as aforeſaid, and that in the mean time he give notice to his creditors of his application aforeſaid, by cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted in the Maryland Gazette any time before the eighth day of March next, and continued therein four weeks ſucceſſively.

Teſt. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can. 2

Dancing School.

JAMES ROBARDET returns his moſt grateful ſenſe of gratitude to thoſe ladies and gentlemen of Annapolis who honoured him laſt ſummer, at his ſchool, with their preſence; he reſpectfully informs them, and the public, that his ſchool will be opened again on the firſt of April next. Thoſe ladies and gentlemen who will honour him at his ſchool, may reſt aſſured that the greateſt attention will be paid to the improvement of his pupils.

February 20, 1793. 2

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will be preferred to the next Anne-Arundel county court, by the veſtry of Saint Margaret's Weſtminſter pariſh, for a commiſſion to mark and bound the lines of a tract or parcel of land called LUCK and IRON STONE HILLS, the glebe-land belonging to ſaid pariſh, ſituate, lying and being in the county aforeſaid, agreeable to an act of aſſembly, paſſed November ſeſſion, 1786, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands.

By order,
CHARLES WATERS, Regiſter.

February 6, 1793. 4X

Bank of Maryland.

NOTICE is hereby given to the STOCKHOLDERS in the BANK of MARYLAND, that, agreeably to charter, an election for twelve DIRECTORS, for the year enſuing, will be held at the Fountain-Inn, on Thurſday the ſeventh day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

By order of the Preſident and Directors,
EBENEZER MACKIE, Caſhier.

Baltimore, February 4, 1793. 3X

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Poſt-Office, Upper Marlborough, if not taken up before the firſt of April, will be ſent to the General Poſt-Office as dead letters.

CHARLES ALLEN, Huntington creek, Calvert county.
Lineas Boteler, near Upper Marlborough, Prince-George's county.
William Berry, Prince-George's county, Maryland,
Joſeph Byes.
Doctr. Richard H. Coates, Prince-George's county.
John Chamberlain, at Doctr. Colmore Beanes, Patuxent, Maryland.
Right Rev. Doctr. Claggett, Upper Marlborough.
Mrs. Sally Cranfurd, Green Wood Park.
Capt. Thomas Cole, ſhip Cincinatus, Lower Marlborough.
Edward Hall Duvall, Anne-Arundel county, care of Saml. Green.
Zadock Duvall, near Upper Marlborough.
Robert Darnall, Eſq; Poplar Hill, Prince-George's county.
John Debuts, Eſq; ——— Hall, Patuxent.
Edward Edeline, Piſcataway, Prince-George's county.
John Fiſher, to the care of Joſeph Neſbet, Weſt Nottingham.
William Graham, merchant, Lower Marlborough, Maryland.
Thomas Gliſſon, Prince-George's county.
Capt. John Handly, ſnow Minerva, care of capt. Dorſett.
James Hollyday, Eſq; Queen-Anne's county, Maryland.
Henry Hardy, Eſq; Maryland, Prince-George's county, Piſcataway.
John Henry Hall, Upper Marlborough.
Robert Lamar, Queen-Anne, Maryland.
Mrs. Sarah A. Lyles, Calvert county, Maryland.
Miſs Peggy Murdock, Queen-Anne.
Miſs Becky Murdock, Queen-Anne.
The Rev. Joſeph Meſſenger, Doctr. St. John's Pariſh, Prince-George's county.
Mrs. Siſba Pownall, Prince-George's county.
Doctr. ——— Potteenger, Prince-Georges's county, care of John Snowden.
Thomas Pownall, Upper Marlborough, Prince-George's county.
Mrs. Margaret Rogers, Upper Marlborough.
John Stone, joiner, Hollowing Point, Maryland.
Doctr. Clement Smith, Queen-Anne, Prince-George's county, 2 letters.
Capt. Peter Sharp, of ſhip Nancy, Lower Marlborough, 2 letters.
Edward L. Wailes, Eſq; near Magruder's warehouſe, Prince-George's county.
Meſſ. Joſeph Wilkinſon, & Co. merchants, Queen-Anne, Patuxent river.

SAM. HAMILTON, D. P. M.
Upper Marlborough. 3X

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcribers intend to apply to the next Anne-Arundel county court, for a commiſſion to prove the lines and bounds of the following tracts or parcels of land, to wit: TIMBER NECK, GOODALL'S ADVENTURE, VACANT LANE, and the HAPPY CHOICE, ſituate, lying and being in the county aforeſaid, agreeable to an act of aſſembly in ſuch caſe made and provided for the marking and bounding of lands.

DORSEY JACOB,
VACHEL GAITHER.

February 2, 1793. 4X

In CHANCERY, January 30, 1793.

ON application to the chancellor, by a petition in writing, of EDMUND WAYMAN, of Montgomery county, an inſolvent debtor, praying the benefit of an act for the relief of ſundry inſolvent debtors, and offering to deliver up, to the uſe of his creditors, all his property, real, perſonal, and mixed, to which he is any way entitled, and a liſt of his creditors, and a ſchedule of his property, ſo far as he can aſcertain, on oath, being annexed to the ſaid petition; it is thereupon by the chancellor ordered, that the ſaid Edmund appear before him, in the chancery-office, in the city of Annapolis, on the thirteenth day of March next, for the purpoſe of taking, in the preſence of ſuch of his creditors as ſhall attend in perſon, or by their agents or attornies, the oath by the ſaid act preſcribed for delivering up his property as aforeſaid, and that in the mean time he give notice to his creditors of his application aforeſaid, by either cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted in the Maryland Gazette at leaſt four times before the ſaid thirteenth of March, or by ſerving a copy of this order on each of his creditors, or on ſo many of them as can be ſerved therewith, or on their agents or attornies, at any time before the firſt day of March next.

Teſt. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.
4X

NOTICE is hereby given, that the adjourned Anne-Arundel county orphans court will meet on Tueſday the 12th day of March next.

By order,
JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills
Anne-Arundel county.

February 20, 1793. 2

FOUR DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, a negro man named ADAM; he had on when he went away, a fearnought waiſtcoat, and a pair of white cotton breeches. Whoever brings him home ſhall receive the above reward, from JOHN BRICE.

Annapolis, February 19, 1793. 2

SETH SWEETSER,

Boot and Shoe Manufacturer,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he has moved to the house lately occupied by Mr. STEPHEN CLARK, next door but one to where he formerly lived, where he intends carrying on his business in all its various branches, in the neatest and most fashionable manner, and on the lowest terms, as he has lately received a fresh supply of Morocco leather of different colours, suitable for ladies slippers, boot legs and bend soles, of the best quality, and is determined to carry on his business with the greatest punctuality and dispatch. He returns his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for the encouragement he has already received since his commencement in business; he hopes by his attention and punctuality to merit the custom of those who please to favour him with their commands.

He has also for sale,

New-England sole leather, bend soles, a general assortment of shoemakers tools, gentlemens plated and plain boot buckles, shoe ditto, best blacking ball and brushes for cleaning boots and shoes, coffee, candles, soap, butter, and rosin. Orders for any of the above-mentioned articles will be thankfully received and duly attended to.

N. B. Two or three JOURNEYMEN are immediately wanted; application to be made as above.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away, on the seventh day of January last, a negro man named JEM, about twenty-eight years of age, five feet nine or ten inches high, well made, and has one of his upper fore teeth out, which may be easily discovered when he speaks or laughs; had on when he went away, a felt hat, cotton jacket, with a blue collar or cape, a cotton pair of breeches, osnabrig shirt, and country made shoes and stockings. Whoever takes up said negro, and delivers him to the subscriber, near Port-Tobacco, in Charles county, or secures him in gaol, shall receive FOUR DOLLARS REWARD if in the county, and if out of the county the above reward, including what the law allows.

SAMUEL M'PHERSON.

February 7, 1793.

St. Mary's county, Clement's Bay, February 5, 1793.

TAKEN up as a stray, a bright bay MARE, about thirteen hands high, has a long snip on her nose, and a star in her forehead, no perceivable brand. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

JOHN B. CARBERRY.

Anne-Arundel county, Herring-Bay, January 15th, 1793.

The subscriber offers at PRIVATE SALE, the following VALUABLE ESTATES, viz.

PARTS of SILVER STONE and MAJOR'S CHOICE, being on Fishing creek, and full in view of the Chesapeake Bay, containing about three hundred and fifty acres of as rich heavy timbered LAND as any in the state; two thirds of which is covered with heavy wood, the remainder is in cultivation, which will readily produce 50,000 pounds of fine tobacco, per annum, added to this advantage, the land cultivated for small grain is extremely rich; several acres of these valuable tracts are now in meadow, and produce as fine grass, and as great quantity as any place in the world; much more land (at a trifling expence) may be made into meadow equal in goodness; it affords the desirable advantage of most excellent fish, oysters, and wild fowl, in their season; the improvements are an overseer's house, several negro quarters, three tobacco houses, corn house, &c. all in good repair. Its inestimable value and agreeable situation, renders every other encomium unnecessary.

—ALSO,—

One other tract of LAND, containing about three hundred and eighty-five acres, lying on Herring-Bay, upwards of one hundred acres of which are covered with heavy timber, the soil of this valuable tract is peculiarly adapted to the growth of fine tobacco, and yields small grain in abundance, about fifteen acres are now in meadow, which produce a great crop and a considerable quantity of low-ground, which can be easily made into meadow so as to yield as much as the other, which no spot can excel. This place has also the advantage of fish, oysters, and wild fowl, in their season, and is situated in an agreeable neighbourhood. The above lands lie about twenty miles from the seat of government and about fifty from Baltimore-town, to which places the proprietors can readily convey to market (by water) the produce of these fertile lands. A part of the purchase must be paid in cash, the residue will be made easy on giving bond with security. Possession to take place immediately, when an indisputable title will be given to the purchaser. The above tracts lie within two miles of each other, both of which places have a sufficient quantity of salt-marsh to support stock.

RICHARD CHEW.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers intend to apply to the next Anne-Arundel county court, for a commission to mark and bound the lines of a tract or parcel of land called BOND'S FOREST, situate, lying and being in the county aforesaid, agreeable to an act of assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands.

MORDECAI RIDGELY,
JOHN WILLIAMS.

February 12, 1793.

NOTICE is hereby given,

THAT all persons having claims against the estate of JOHN HENRY MACCUBBIN, late deceased, are requested to bring them in legally authenticated and proved, and those who are indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate settlement.

ANNE MACCUBBIN, Adm'x.

PLANS
OF THE
City of Washington,
To be SOLD, at the
PRINTING-OFFICE,
Price, half a Dollar.

SCHEME
OF
WILLIAM ALLEIN's LAND, &c.
LOTTERY.

No. 1,	1 Prize of 529 acres of woodland lying on Bennet's creek, in Montgomery and Frederick counties, within thirty miles of the federal city,	793	10 0
2,	1 ditto of 40 acres of valuable land, mostly wood, lying and adjoining the waters about three miles from Lower-Marlborough,	320	0 0
3,	1 ditto of 20 acres of land adjoining No. 2, all wood,	200	0 0
4,	1 ditto of 10 ditto, ditto No. 3, ditto,	100	0 0
5,	1 ditto of 10 ditto, ditto No. 4, ditto,	100	0 0
6,	1 ditto of 10 ditto, ditto No. 5, ditto,	100	0 0
7,	1 ditto of 10 ditto, ditto No. 6, ditto,	100	0 0
	1 ditto of 100 dollars cash,	37	10 0
	21 ditto of 8 ditto each ditto,	63	0 0
	145 ditto of 8 ditto, payable in genuine Scotch snuff at 4s. per pound in, bottles,	435	0 0
	First drawn blank,	1	0 0
	173 Prizes. 577 Blanks.	£. 2250	0 0
	750 Tickets, at £. 3 each,	£. 2250	0 0

MANAGERS,

John Muir, Annapolis; Benjamin Stoddert, Georgetown; James Bolt, Queen-Anne; John Brooke, Upper-Marlborough; Thomas Tillard, Pig-Point; Robert Bowie, Nottingham; Trueman Compton, Magruder's; John Forbes, Benedict; James Somervillit, Thomas Harwood, junior, Joseph Wilkinson, William Grahame, Peter Emmerson, Charles Williamson, John Chesley, Thomas Parran, Henry Huntt, Calvert county; of whom tickets may be had, and of all the merchants on Patuxent.

No. 1, contains all woodland, Benner's creek running through it, and lies within thirty miles of the federal city, fully worth the estimated amount. 2 to 7 contains very valuable land lying near the town of Lower-Marlborough, where wood commands 20s. per cord, the cartage to the water little more than half a mile from the extent of the land, and each lot to have the privilege of a cart way to the water. Deeds, with general warrantees, to be made for the land. Plots of the land may be seen with each of the managers. The cash prizes to be paid on demand; the snuff warranted genuine and good, and to be delivered at Lower-Marlborough. Crop or transfer notes for tobacco, on Patuxent, will be taken in payment at the market prices. Ten per cent. deduction to be made to those who pay the cash before the day of drawing. The lottery is purposed to be drawn on the third Tuesday in June next, if the tickets are all sold, at Lower-Marlborough. Notice will be given of the time, and a list of the fortunate numbers published immediately after drawing. Country produce will be taken at the market price, if delivered at the subscriber's mill within one month of drawing the lottery.

W. ALLEIN.

Raleigh's Plant, March, 1792.

JOHN WELSH,

Boot and Shoe Manufacturer,

Corn-hill-street, Annapolis,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he has lately received a quantity of the best boot legs and bend soles, and a general assortment of sole and upper leather; he intends to carry on the above business in its various branches, in the most fashionable manner and on the lowest terms; those who please to favour him with their commands may depend on their being complied with. Orders from the country will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

N. B. As he intends to embark for Europe by the 15th March, he hopes those indebted to him by bond, note, or open account, will come and discharge the same, and those who have claims against him are requested to bring them in that they may be settled.

February 11, 1793.

SCHEME
OF A
LOTTERY

For the purpose of disposing of valuable property in the district of COLUMBIA, consisting of three tracts or lots of LAND about one mile north of the city of WASHINGTON, and fourteen lots in the lower part of the town of GEORGE-TOWN, as follows:

LOT No. 1, contains 107 acres, on it are 18 acres of meadow-ground, and a promising young apple orchard containing 1[illegible], bearing trees of choice fruit. At the western extremities thereof is a delightful eminence that commands a view of the Potowmack and city of Washington. This lot contains about 16 acres of wood-land, lies upon a main road, and is not more than one mile from the city of Washington.

LOT No. 2, contains 84 acres, and bounds with the preceding lot; about 55 acres thereof are in wood, and about 17 acres in meadow-ground. This lot is bounded on the west by the meandering waters of the Piney Branch. On this stream is a fall of 21 feet, and abounds with quarries of excellent building stone. On this lot are two beautiful situations for houses.

LOT No. 3, contains 39 acres, and bounds with lot No. 1. This lot contains 26 acres of wood, and has on it a beautiful eminence for a house and country seat.

The fourteen lots in George-Town are at the east end of the town which is contiguous to the city of Washington, and are all advantageous and beautiful situations.

4000 Tickets at 35s. each, dollars at 7s. 6d. £. [illegible]

No. 1,	1 prize of 107 acres of land at £. 20 per acre	2140	0 0
2,	1 do. of 84 do. do.	1680	0 0
3,	1 do. of 39 do. do.	780	0 0
1 to 14,	14 lots in George-town, at 65l. each,	910	0 0
	1 prize in cash,	100	0 0
	1 ditto,	50	0 0
	1 ditto,	46	0 0
647	ditto, of 40s. each,	1294	0 0
	667 Prizes. 3333 Blanks.	£.	

MANAGERS.

Robert Peter, colonel William Deakins, Benjamin Stoddert, Thomas Beall of George, John Threlkeld, and Samuel Davidson, Esquires, George-Town, Gerard Wallace, Esquire, city of Washington. Wallace and Muir, and John Davidson, Esquires, Annapolis.

This scheme contains several very valuable lots of land contiguous to the city of Washington, which must increase in value will keep pace with the growth of the rising empire of the United States of America. From therefore, without any further definition, it will be evident that for the small sum of one Guinea a valuable and beautiful country seat may be obtained in the vicinity of the capital of America; or a lot in a town now possessing an extensive commerce.

The subscriber proposes drawing this Lottery at George-Town, on the first Monday in May next, or sooner, if the tickets are all sold, which he flatters himself will be the case from his present prospect. Deeds, with a general warranty, will immediately be given for the lots of land, and the money for the small prizes will be paid on demand. Notice will be given of the drawing in the public papers, and a list of the fortunate numbers will be immediately published. The crop now on the lots is reserved to the subscriber. A plot of the lots may be seen at Mr. George Mann's.

☞ TICKETS may be had of Messrs. Wallace and Muir, John Davidson, Esquires, and Mr. George Mann.

JOHN THOMAS BOUCHELL.

THIS is to inform all persons that it may concern, that at the next court held for Anne-Arundel county, I shall petition the court of the said county for a commission to mark and bound my two tracts of land situate in the said county, called WARRINGTON and ADDITION to WARRINGTON, pursuant to an act of the general assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands.

JOHN HODGE BAYARD.

January 5, 1793.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to petition, at April term next, for a commission to mark and bound the second line of a tract of land called CLARRY's HOPE, which is contiguous to the lands now in the possession of THOMAS NORRIS, junior.

PETER PARISH.

Anne-Arundel county, January 26, 1793.

THE COMMISSIONERS of the federal buildings want to employ FOUR SETS of SAWYERS immediately in the city of Washington; one set to be well acquainted with sawing mahogany. Application to be made to Mr. JAMES HOBEN, in the city, as the employment will be steady, it may therefore be an object.

George-town, December 5, 1792.

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